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BUTTER—Coming in a little more freely, but demand good and values steady. Receipts, 358 packages. Creamery, extra fancy spacker, 15c per pound; Brats, 14c; seconds, 13c; dairy, fancy, 14c; also packed, 13 1/2c; packing stock, 13c.

EGGS—Demand good and prices firm. Receipts, 353 packages. Fresh candied Missouri and Kansas, 15 1/2c per dozen.

POULTRY—Hardly so active, but steady. Receipts,

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GRAPES—Offerings light and higher. We quote:
Home grown Concord and Isabella, \$8.90 per pound;
California Golden Raisins, \$1.75 per basket case, Tri-
state and Muscat, \$1.50-\$1.75 per 6-basket case, Tri-
state, \$1.90; 20 per basket or 25 pounds, Delaware, 20c
per pony basket.

FRUITS—Lemons, California stock, in ear lots,
\$2.00 per cwt., \$2.00 common, \$1.25, Mendota.
Oranges, in small lots, \$1.60-\$1.50. Bananas, shipping
Jumbo, \$2.50-\$2.50; large, \$2.00-\$2.25; medium, \$1.75-
\$2.00; culls, \$0.90-\$1.00. Cranberries, Cape Cod, \$2.50

HICKORY NUTS—Slow sale at \$1.00 per bushel.

WATERMELONS—Dutiable, but steady. By the 100,
\$6.00-\$10.00, and \$6c-\$11.50 per dozen.

CANTALOUPE—Steady, but dull. Home grown,
\$1.00-\$1.50 per bushel.

VEGETABLES—Selling very well. The quotations: Squash, Hubbard, 40¢/50¢ per dozen. Pumpkins, 40¢ per dozen. Sweet corn, 75¢/90¢ per dozen for a small variety. Beans, 75¢/1.00 per bushel. Lettuce, leaf, 50¢/60¢ per bushel. Beets, 25¢/30¢ per bushel. Carrots, 25¢/30¢ per bushel. Turnips, purple top, 40¢/50¢ per bushel. Potatoes, 40¢/50¢ per bushel. Onions, home grown, 25¢/30¢ per bushel. Northern Red Globe, 60¢ per bushel. Water cress, 15¢/20¢ per dozen bunches. Parsnips, 40¢/50¢ per bushel. Tomatoes, 40¢/50¢ per bushel. Peppers, 40¢/50¢ per bushel. Cucumbers, 40¢/50¢ per bushel. Eggplant, 15¢/20¢ per dozen. Egg plant, 40¢/50¢ per dozen. Oyster plant, 15¢/20¢ per dozen bunches. Mushrooms, Michigan, 40¢/50¢ per dozen bunches.

A better feeling pervaded the market yesterday, sales came in higher and a good cash demand came in. The result was a more active and firmer market than for some time. The quotations:

GREEN MEATS—Hams, \$4.25@5.75; shoulders, \$3.00@5.25.

SWEET PICKLED MEATS—Shoulders, \$4.00@5.12 1/2; hams, \$3.50@5.75.

DRY SALT MEATS—Shoulders, cash, \$3.75@4.00 per lb.; short ribs, \$2.10@2.15; short clear, \$4.25@5.25.

LARD—Prime steam, \$2.30.

Chicago Fall Festivities.

Which will include the laying of the cornerstone of the new government building, will be held October 4th to 11th, 1899.

gent Diaz, of Mexico, and Premier Laurier, of Canada, will be present on this notable occasion. The Chicago Great Western Ry. will sell, commencing October 1st, excursion tickets to Chicago at the rate for the round trip of one fare, good for a return till October 15th, inclusive. For further information inquire of any Chicago Great Western Ry. Agent or address F. H. Lord, General Pass. and Ticket Agent, 113 Adams St., Chicago.

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